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In re application of	:	**Confirmation No. 5423**
Naoshi YAMAGUCHI et al.	:	Attorney Docket No. 2003_1472A
Serial No. 10/685,459	:	Group Art Unit 1763
Filed October 16, 2003	:	Examiner Rakesh Kumar Dhingra
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 25, 2005, the period for response having been extended for two (2) months by the attached petition, please amend the present application as follows:

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